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BORN—To Mr and Mrs. D. Fraser, July 21st, a son.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Macdonald on Tuesday, August 7th.

The ball game on Wednesday last went seven innings and ended in a win for Cleadie. The score being: Cleadie, 16; Strathmore, 9.

It's all right to be funny, but never carry a joke or a dead fish too far.

It is rumored that the wedding bells were forecasted a week or so ago will not be ringing. It appears that we were on the wrong track. Damn the luck.

Mrs. F. R. Lily returned from Calgary on Tuesday, where she had been on a two weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. King.

The Methodist Ladies Aid will hold a Pantry Sale and serve Lunch in the Club Cafe on Saturday, August 11th.

The Auction Mart Company are holding a big sale on Saturday, August 11th. For further particulars see advertisement in another column. Further entries are solicited and may be left with the Secretary, T. H. Eves, or with the Standard Office.

We have an apology to make. In last week's issue we mentioned that two of our respected citizens had been to Crooks. This should have been Brooks. We have it on authority that there was not even a sign of a pack of cards.

The Patriotic Shoot held by the Gun Club on Tuesday was a huge success and the officers of the Club wish to thank all those who turned out and helped to make the event so successful. Twenty participated in the competition and the winners of ribbons are as follows:—1st, L. B. O. Lodenell, 44; 2nd, Earl Beck, 22; 3rd, Hugh Berry, 21; 4th, J. G. Miller, Chiboule, 20; Hugh Johnson and G. T. Berry tied for 5th place with a score of 19 each, and in the shoot of Mr. Berry came out ahead. All competitors are not in yet, but a list will be published next week.

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Some people believe that a black cat is a sign of good luck. We disagree with them. We believe a black cat brings a mixture of luck—good and bad. For a black cat crossed our path as Sunday morning whilst in Calgary and what happened afterwards would fill about three books.

Often a man is justified in thinking that his wife isn't very bright—considering the kind of a man she married.

The following is a list of those who passed in Grade VIII, in the recent Departmental Examination:—Mary Stockton, Margaret Anderson, Arthur Lambert John Lillie, Tom Lillie, Aubert Giffen.

SPORTS DAY AT NIGHTINGALE

A big sports day will be held at Nightingale on Friday August 10th commencing at one o'clock. \$500.00 are being offered in prizes. The events include foot races, horse races, auto races, tug of war, and a football match. A dance will be held in the evening in the Hall. Music by the Strathmore Orchestra.

A man often forgets the letter his wife told him to mail, but he never forgets the dime he gave her to spend last week.

An Acknowledgment

Mr. Jos. Van Tighem has received the following letter from the Belgian Consul at Calgary acknowledging the receipt of the collection on Belgian Day held in Strathmore.

Dear Mr. Van Tighem, Your letter of the 23rd of July with cheque for \$375.00 for the Belgian Red Cross has duly reached me this morning.

The generosity of the people of Strathmore is really wonderful and I would ask you to convey to them my appreciation of the interest they are taking in the sufferings of our compatriots.

Yours very truly
H. DE BURLEIGH
Acting Belgian Consul
Calgary, Alberta.

If people could only see themselves as others see them, a whole lot of photographers would starve to death.

Your body may live in a cellar, but its your own fault if your mind lives there.

Cut down your necessities and you will be able to afford a few luxuries.

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Never do anything just because other people do it.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

I wish to thank the people of Strathmore and Bow Valley for their generous help to the Belgian Cause. The need is as great as ever. All contributions will be thankfully received.

Jos. VAN TIGHEM

Letter of Thanks

I take this opportunity of expressing my sincere thanks to the people of Strathmore and the surrounding district for the very kind, generous and patriotic way in which they have so willingly helped me on my return from the Front.

Such assistance was never dreamt of by me, which makes it all the more appreciated.

I must say it makes any soldier feel great satisfaction to realize that efforts men are making for the Empire are so fully appreciated by those at home.

All men make sacrifice by going to war and quite except to, but to be treated as I have been on my return makes me unable to express my lasting gratitude.

Yours sincerely,
W. G. KNYVET.

Namaka Notes

The U.F.W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Wooster on the 21st.

At a meeting of the U.F.W.A. Mr. A. Thorsen was appointed president, and Mr. Wooster Secretary, both offices being pro tem. All members invited to attend a meeting on August 18th at two thirty P.M. at the home of Mr. Albert Thorsen.

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Mrs. P. Merigen, entertained to dinner on Sunday last, her guests being Mr. and Mrs. Millar, Namaka Farm, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben McKinnon.

Mrs. H.E. Thomson entertained a number of lady friends on Saturday afternoon, in honour of Mr. Thomson's mother, who is on a visit.

We regret to report an accident to Mrs. Theodore Thorsen, caused by the severe jolting of the car. On enquiry we learn that Mrs. Thorsen is making good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sim were Calgary visitors on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Trent are receiving congratulations on the occasion of their marriage. Mrs. Trent is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Haggood, Namaka, while her husband was for some time employed on the Bell and Bigger Farm.

It's usually the unexpected that happens. Keep your ears open for the next peal of wedding bells.

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Help The Belgians

All donations received during July will be placed to the credit of the "Belgian Day" fund. This fund will be divided between the Belgian Red Cross and the Queen's Fund for wounded soldiers. Will you help to make it a success?

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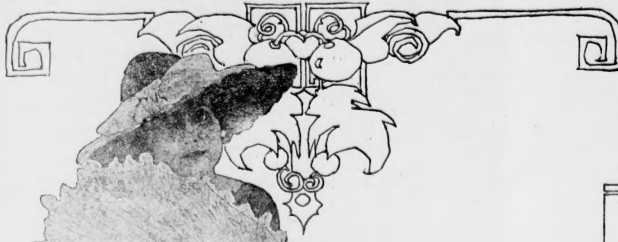
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